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LIFE OF THOUSANDS

Death Takes Frightful Toll in Caucasus.—Chairman of Committee Sent From America Makes Appeal for Immediate Relief.

New York, March 18.—Thousands of men, women and children are starving to death in Caucasus, according to the first report from Dr. James L. Barton, chairman of the committee recently sent to that region by the American committee for relief in the Near East, received at its headquarters of the committee here today.

"There is no bread anywhere," said the report. "The government has a pound. There are 45,000 people in Erivan wholly without bread and orphanages and troops all through Erivan are in terrible condition. There is not a dog, cat, horse, mule or any living thing in all the district. We saw refugee women pulling the flesh from a dead horse."

"Their deaths a day are reported in Ashchoraz, 28 miles from Ketchikan. Izer and Sadabab certainly are. Another week will score 10,000 a lost.

"For heaven's sake hurry. We have enough food in the country now at Ash and Batum to keep the starving people alive for a time. The railroads are doing all they possibly can to get food to the people, but snow is enemy at present. Please expedite as many men as you can; also remember we shall be through

our food supplies pretty soon, so they and credit are vitally urgent."

The food at Batum referred to in the report is part of the cargo of 90 tons of flour shipped from Sere on the Western Belle.

MILLION DOLLAR

FIRE AT ATLANTA

Atlanta, Ga., March 16. — Damage estimated by railroad officials at approximately \$1,000,000 resulted from complete destruction by fire early tonight of the Southern Railway freight transfer at Inman Park.

about 80 carloads of foodstuffs and freight within the transfer and number of empty freight cars were destroyed. Fifteen of the 24 storage sheds in the yards were burned through, some of them for stretches of a mile long. The main freight and passenger tracks, however, were not in the burned area. The origin of the fire has not been

the Inman yards plant was said to be one of the largest freight transfer plants in the south and was the regular and rerouting point for freight from the extreme south billed for northern cities.

**ND FLEET MISSES
AMERICAN COMRADES**

London, Feb. 15.—Officers and crew of the grand fleet miss their comrades of the American battleship Iron which shared the war vigil of the British navy. The text just published of the messages exchanged by the two forces when the Canadian ships departed December 1

the American dreadnaughts
ed away, the British comman-
chief signalled:
our comrades of the grand fleet
your departure. We trust this
temporary, and that the inter-
of wisdom from the sea

replied came the following:

your friendly and brotherly sig-
God-speed is deeply appreciat-
the officers and men of your
Battle Squadron. We will never
the hospitality, which has
feel a part of your big fami-
we intend to maintain that re-

for all time. "We all hope to
under your command." I
use of the word "your" was
on no one in the grand fleet,
of all Admiral Beatty. Another
e was immediately sent:
s is indicative of the intimate
rly unity and sympathy which
on both sides of that greatest
between the admirals.

...highway, the Atlantic, and, as
...joined by land, is kept warm
...largely by men on the sea."
...which the American squadron
...answer:
...officers and men of the Sixth
...Ship Squadron appreciate more
...in be explained the never end-
...pitality of the officers and
...the grand fleet. We leave
...those recollection of our happy
...these waters, and with hope
...may soon renew the firm
...ship that has been our home.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 18.

There is one thing very few newspaper men are bothered with—the income tax return.

We do not know whether or not the government is still furnishing fish bait in the event it is, we would suggest that the City Fathers secure a shipment to be placed in one of the nine ponds on Poole Street.

It is authoritatively stated that standing water will breed mosquitoes. We predict that Chester will have mosquitoes when mosquito time comes.

The republican senators and congressmen recently planned to send a number of the members of their party to Paris to keep in close touch with the Peace Conference. The democrats caught on to the game and have decided to also send a delegation. Among their party aboard the pond. Among the democrats who expect to cross is Col. Sam. J. Nechee, of Spartanburg.

Col. Nechee should not see, however, the Peace Conference but we will be fifteen cents the Colonel will at least "see Paris."

Chester can have paved streets and a white way if the majority of the people make up their minds that they are going to have them. Men can move mountains when they are motivated. We have MEN in Chester all that is needed is that these MEN make up their minds that Chester will have those things we need and then we will get them.

In Chester we have a school tax of nine mills. In Minnesota almost every town has a school tax of from twenty to thirty mills and the property is assessed, at approximately seventy-five per cent of its value. Yet the per capita wealth of the people of Minnesota is considerably more than it is in South Carolina. Why?

Chester is a good town to live in. It would be a better town to live in if we had paved streets, a white way and a new Seaboard passenger station. We can have them all if we will only get after them.

The farmers of Chester county are in better shape financially now than in many years past. Why? That's easy. They have beaten the weather, own, big and bonny for the past few years. Keep it up, friends, we wish you well.

A RECORDER FOR CHESTER.

That the Mayor of Chester should be relieved of the duties incident to the holding of Municipal court, is being freely discussed by the citizens of Chester and The News believes that the public is especially in favor of having a City Recorder, whose duties it will be to hold the City court, which now consumes a considerable amount of the Mayor's time, which time could be well spent in other civic affairs and at a different hour of the day. In their words, a man who is Mayor of Chester must devote some three or four hours of his time each morning to the holding of court hardly affords the Mayor of Chester is only \$250.00 per month, so it can readily be seen that the point has been reached where a man can hardly afford to be Mayor of a good city, and really The News does not see how the citizens of Chester can expect a man to devote so much of his time to municipal affairs as the Mayor of Chester.

For Chester to have a Recorder is a very simple affair and lies within the power of the City Council, in the representative people. According to the law, as The News understands it, a City Recorder is elected by the Mayor and the City Council in the same manner as they would elect a policeman, and the Recorder so elected is responsible to the court. This in itself is a good feature and has been so proven by a number of towns who have a City Recorder to look after the affairs of the Municipal

Court.

The News is heartily in favor of the movement, and as above stated, we do not think it right that the citizens of Chester should call upon their Mayor for so much of his time, especially in the forenoon.

DRAINAGE OF TURKEY CREEK.

The contract for the drainage of Turkey Creek bottom, having been made some time ago on condition of the sale of bonds, and the bonds now having been sold, the only thing that stands in the way of commencing the undertaking is the final transfer of the money for the bonds.

It is expected that the money will be in hand within the next few days, and since the contractors are waiting they have the bonds ready to load and ship at a few hours' notice; it is reasonably certain that the work will be under way within a week or two at the longest.

The drainage project calls for twenty-six miles of ditching in all—ten miles on Little Turkey Creek, from the bottom of Johnson Cameron and C. Haffner place, and twenty miles from the Scott old mill site to Broad river, down in Chester county.

It is the plan of the contractors to use two boats, and to begin operations simultaneously in the Cameron bottom, at the Scott old mill site, and the smaller boat, which will be started in the Cameron bottom, will start out of commission after it reaches the main bottom, and the larger boat will go on to the river.

As has been stated, there are a few preliminaries to be completed in connection with the bond deal before the work will be actually commenced.

But so far as why it is connected with the pending transactions has reason to believe, the whole thing is a neatly settled—Yorkville Enterprise.

GERMAN CIVILIANS REMAIN IN BELGIUM.

Despite Passing of Law Providing for Expulsion of Enemy Subjects.

Brussels, Feb. 26.—Despite the passing of a law providing for the expulsion of enemy subjects from Belgium, numerous German civilians are still seen walking the streets of this city and other large cities in Belgium at the present time. While the law went into effect more than a month ago, the Belgian government is experiencing as much difficulty in getting the enemy civilians out of the country as the allied forces had in expelling the enemy army from the trenches.

The minister of justice has found the undertaking a greater task than he had expected. In the Belgian chamber yesterday Deputy Lemonnier, who acted as burgomaster of Brussels during the conference, absence of Burgomaster Max in Prussian jails and until he was removed himself to Germany, asked Minister of Justice Vandervelde whether he intended taking to expedite the undesirable before the Rhine. Deputy Lemonnier brought the minister's attention to the fact that several Germans were walking the streets of Brussels with impunity and that some of them had been recognized as being agents of the Kommandant during the occupation.

Vandervelde replied: "The ministry of justice is doing its utmost to rid Belgium of German civilians, but the difficulties encountered are formidable. In times of peace the undesirable are ignored by the frontier, but the allied general staff had refused absolutely to allow Germans to pass through the zone of occupation. Holland permits them to go through the country but not singly. Groups only are allowed in transit. At the present time one train of undesirable is leaving daily. Beginning February 23, two trains will leave for Holland daily, carrying an average of 1,200 Germans every day from Belgium."

An idea of the number of Germans in Belgium before the war and the still greater number who have elected to make it during the occupation what they thought would be their permanent living place, may be gathered from the fact that trains are expected to leave for weeks and perhaps for months.

The case of German subjects who have resided in Belgium for long years, have married Belgian women and whose sons have fought against the Germans, is particularly sad. For the terms of the law they should be expelled along with the others as they have remained enemy subjects.

Miss Basic, widow, "It is impossible for me to send my children of Germans out of the country."

Miss Basic, widow, invites the ladies and children to call and inspect her Spring line of Millinery. Has a very attractive assortment of Patterns and a complete stock of Millinery Novelties specializing in children's hats the largest line ever brought to Chester at one time. St.

JAMES MURRAY

MERCHANT TAILOR

Special bargains for returned soldiers

108 Main Street.

VETERANS OF WAR FORM ASSOCIATION.

Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt Issues Call for Meeting to Be Held Next Month.

New York, March 16.—On receipt here of word from Paris that 500 members of the American expeditionary forces had taken the first step toward organization of a World War Veterans' Association, Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt announced tonight that a meeting would be called in this country "about the end of April" for the same purpose. His address of that organization, which was completed until most of the American troops returned from overseas.

He said that on February 15 a representative group of members of the National Guard and National Army overseas held a preliminary conference in Paris to consider plans for the organization of an association similar to the Grand Army of the Republic, "with the purpose of promoting comradeship and serving the nation by keeping alive the spirit which caused American citizens to make such great sacrifices."

Representatives of the meeting promptly came to America. To cooperate with those who have not had the privilege of serving overseas and with the discharged members in this country of the expeditionary forces.

STORM CLAIMS TOLL.

Several Killed and Property Loss Great in Mississippi.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 18.—J. W. Johnson, wealthy planter of Pustherville, and seven negroes are known to have been killed in a tornado which swept a path three-quarters of a mile wide in a northeasterly direction between Graceland and Pustherville, Miss. It also is reported here that two persons who have been received from the plantations of J. B. E. P. Green, manager of J. B. E. Sinal's plantation near Graceland, and a negro woman residing on the plantation, were critically injured and were rushed to Vicksburg.

Property damage is expected to approximate \$1,000,000, part of which was sustained by the Johnson property. This included the destruction of a cyprus bark for which he is said to have refused more than \$250,000. A large amount of other valuable timber also is included in the loss. The tornado is said to have left nothing in its wake.

Wires.

Folk have got into the habit of using "old mail" as a term of reproach or derision, but the more I think about the matter the more my opinion grows that the only sense in the word is in the sense that it sends men packing and travels paths of their own choosing.

The first woman in the world might have remained an old maid if the matter had been left to her choice, but she was made to order and was not even allowed the privilege of choosing between two men. Few women have that privilege, for that matter.

Lacking an independent fortune, an old maid must work for a living. But she can get a living with less work than the average wife does, and her working hours are fixed. She has time to loaf and invite her suit.

The average wife is a piece of personal property, priced for the time she can do or the pleasure she can give.

Her work day begins as early as that of her husband, and concludes long after he is settled in a comfortable chair at night, whining about his tired feet or his lame back.

There are times when she would give almost anything for the privilege of being sick, so that she might enquire to get rested.

I suppose every man who has some sort of heart makes some effort to lighten the burdens his wife must bear, but never knew a man who made enough effort.

I think there should be a law compelling a married man to put a Hoover cabinet and running water in the kitchen, give his wife a dollar for "foolish money" every time he spends one, give her as many hours of leisure as he enjoys, and take care of the children half the time—and, yes, bless you, wash the dishes half the time.—Fountain Inn Tribune.

CIVIL COURT CASES.

At a meeting of the Chester Bar Association Friday afternoon, the roster was so arranged that by trying a few common place cases next week as can be done, there will be no necessity for a third week of court; and no third week-jury is to be drawn. The roster is as follows:

Thursday, March 17th.

The Ingle System Co. vs. Geo. W. Byars. W. H. Newbold for plaintiff; Gaston & Hamilton for defendant.

Pamie L. Tracy vs. H. B. Ash. H. L. Douglas for plaintiff; Gaston & Hamilton for defendant.

C. J. Rockhold vs. Mametta Mills. J. Harry Foster for plaintiff; Glenn & Glenn for defendant.

Friday, March 20th.

R. A. Bratton vs. R. M. White et al. R. L. Douglas for plaintiff; H. L. Douglas for defendant.

W. J. Bradshaw vs. A. D. Lawler et al. Gaston & Hamilton for plaintiff; Hemphill & Hemphill for defendant.

Monday, March 21st.

Dever Peeler vs. Western Union Telegraph Co. W. H. Newbold for plaintiff; Marion & Marion for defendant.

Mrs. Mary G. Herlog et al. vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.—W. H. Newbold for plaintiff; Marion & Marion for defendant.

The S. M. Jones Co. vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. J. M. Wise for plaintiff; Glenn & Glenn for defendant.

Tuesday, April 1st.

W. D. S. Weil vs. Southern Railway Company. Henry & McLaure for plaintiff; McDonald & McDonald for defendant.

Winnboro Granite Corporation vs. W. L. Kirkpatrick et al. Admrs. McDonald & McDonald for plaintiff; Glenn & Glenn for defendant.

M. M. Wilson & Melvin McDonald, et al. vs. W. L. Kirkpatrick et al. Admrs. McDonald & McDonald for plaintiff; Samuel E. McFarland for defendant.

Wednesday, April 2nd.

W. H. Wilson, Executor vs. Mary E. Wilson, Marion & Marion and Samuel E. McFarland for plaintiff; Gaston & Hamilton and R. B. Caldwell for defendant.

R. S. Nunnery vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway Company. Gaston & Hamilton for plaintiff; Glenn & Glenn for defendant.

Thursday, April 3rd.

Georgia C. Giles vs. Jesse Greenwood, Marion & Marion for plaintiff; Dunlap & Dunlap for defendant.

HOOPER TELLS GERMAN THE ALLIED CONDITIONS.

Brussels, Friday, March 14.—Prior to the signing by the Germans to the agreement for the taking over of the German merchant fleet and the provisioning of Germany, the sub-committees on food supply and merchant shipping held conferences.

At the meeting of the conference sub-committee on food supply, Herbert C. Hoover, the only speaker, in the name of the allied governments, he told the Germans the allied conditions. The principal questions examined were the quantities of food to be delivered, the control of accounts and methods of payment.

The question of control was the only one to which the Germans objected. The Germans said that the control should be exercised by German military men, but the allied representatives insisted it should be in the hands of the German civil authorities who would be called upon to furnish records and statistics regularly.

The merchant shipping sub-committee was short and formal. After a plenary session of the allied and German delegations in the afternoon, the Germans signed the conditions imposed by the allies.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA County of Chester.

By A. W. Wines, Esquire, Probate Judge.

Whereas, Mrs. Millie F. Bowles made suit to me to grant her Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of W. C. Bowles, deceased, and there, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said W. C. Bowles, deceased, the third day of April, to be held at Chester, S. C.

Probate, to be held at Chester, S. C. on April 2, 1919 next after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have,

PENNY COLUMN.

Money To Loan—Loans negotiated on improved farm lands at 4 per cent interest, and credit terms of years, etc., to suit borrower. The Southern Mortgage Co., M. C. Fudge, Cor. T-42.

Bring Your cowbirds to John T. Penny's Market. Tt.

Blacksmithing And Horse Shoeing I am now prepared to do all your horse shoeing and blacksmithing that you might want done. I have one of the best horse shoers in the State. Just from one of the biggest camps in the South. My son is back from the army, where he took a special course in wheel-wright and painting, and is here on the job for business. Give us a trial in shoeing, blacksmithing, buggy and wagon repairing, cars painted, car tops and curtains made and repaired. Rubber tire work a specialty. At Fraser's old reliable place, S. Ayres & Son, 14-18-21-25-28-1.

When You Break Any part of your outfit, call on my shop is equipped with labor-saving machinery. Our get out your job on short notice. Plenty of good seasoned timber always on hand. Truck bodies made in order and repaired. The best price in the city on rubber tires. All kinds of buggy, wagon, and truck bodies repaired. Prices reasonable. W. F. Burdell, 128 Columbia street. 14-21-28-1.

Economize By Having your shoes repaired. We make a specialty of this work. Phone 258. We call for and deliver promptly. J. H. Blain. Tt.

For Sale—One very slightly used Chevrolet Club Roadster, in A 1 condition. At a bargain to a quick buyer. A. M. Simpson, the Cadillac Man, Valley Street. 11-20.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The public is cordially invited to attend the school closing exercises to be given at Bethlehem school at eight o'clock Friday evening, March 21st.

Seed Corn.

Wood's White and Yellow Dent Seed Corn, a high grade, selected stock of high germination. For the past years our Yellow Dent has been the best seed corn in the South. For sale at the Virginia State Seed Co., 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ANNUAL White Goods and Muslin Under-Wear Sale

THREE DAYS

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, March 19, 20 and 21st.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY

This sale will be a great opportunity to the people of this community. Coming at a time when you need this class of Merchandise. This will be a great money saving sale for you. Read the prices quoted below.

Muslin Under-Wear

1.50 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$1.29**
1.75 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$1.59**
2.00 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$1.79**
2.25 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$1.99**
2.50 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$2.10**
3.00 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$2.48**
3.50 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$3.18**
5.00 Ladies Muslin Gowns, sale price **\$4.48**
7.50 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$6.90**
1.25 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$1.29**
1.50 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$1.39**
2.00 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$1.79**
2.50 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$2.48**
3.00 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$2.98**
3.50 Ladies Muslin Skirts, sale price **\$4.48**
1.50 Ladies Muslin Teddies, sale price **\$1.29**
1.75 Ladies Muslin Teddies, sale price **\$1.48**
2.00 Ladies Muslin Teddies, sale price **\$1.79**
2.50 Ladies Muslin Teddies, sale price **\$2.15**
3.00 Ladies Muslin Teddies, sale price **\$2.48**
7.50 Ladies Muslin Corset Covers, sale price **\$6.90**
1.25 Ladies Muslin Corset Covers, sale price **\$1.29**

1.50 Ladies Muslin Corset Covers, sale price **\$1.29**
7.50 Ladies Muslin Pants, sale price **\$6.90**
1.25 Ladies Muslin Pants, sale price **\$1.29**
60c Children's Muslin Princess Slips, sale price **50c**
7.50 Children's Muslin Princess Slips, sale price **\$6.90**
1.25 Children's Muslin Princess Slips, sale price **\$1.29**
1.50 Children's Muslin Princess Slips, sale price **\$1.29**
1.75 Children's Muslin Princess Slips, sale price **\$1.48**
1.50 Children's Muslin Combinations, sale price **\$1.29**
45c Children's Muslin Drawers, sale price **32c**

Sheets and Sheeting

81x90 Mohawk Sheets, sale price **\$1.85**
81x90 Extra heavy Sheets, sale price **\$1.85**
81x90 Good heavy Sheets, sale price **\$1.29**
72x90 Seamed Sheets, sale price **75c**
83x90 Single Sheets, sale price **\$1.29**
50c Pillow Cases, sale price **39c**
50c Pillow Cases, sale price **25c**
10-4 Mohawk Bleach Sheeting, sale price **69c**
9-4 Mohawk Bleach Sheeting, sale price **65c**
15-0 Bleach Sheeting, sale price **42c**
15-0 Ripette Bed Spreads, sale price **\$1.29**

Towels

50c large Turkish Towels, sale price **42c**
35c Turkish Towels, sale price **25c**
50c Hemstitched Huck Towels, sale price **42c**
35c Huck Towels, sale price **25c**

White Goods Specials

36 in. English Long cloth, sale price **22c**
36 in. English Long cloth, sale price **27c**
36 in. Longdale Cambric, sale price **35c**
36 in. Middy Twill, sale price **39c**
36 in. Cannon Cloth, sale price **15c**
40 in. White Lawn, sale price **25c**
27 in. Fine Check Dimity, sale price **15c**
36 in. Pajama Checks, sale price **20c**
32 in. Pajama Checks, sale price **15c**
36 in. Nainsook, sale price **22c**
36 in. Nainsook, sale price **27c**
36 in. Underwear Crepe, sale price **22c**
50c 32 in. Zephyr Gingham, sale price **35c**
27 in. Gingham, sale price **25c**
36 in. Heavy Unbleached Sheeting, sale price **20c**
36 in. Sea Island Sheeting, sale price **15c**
39 in. Sea Island Sheeting, sale price **12 1/2c**

Silk Specials

\$2.00 36 in. Black Taffeta Silk, sale price **\$1.50**
the yard
36 in. Fancy Silk Plaids and Stripes, values up to \$2.50, sale price **\$1.48**
36 in. Fancy Silk, sale price **75c**
36 in. Silk Poplin, all shades, sale price **98c**
40 in. Crepe De Chine, all shades, sale price **\$1.39**

Bleaching Specials

25c yd. White Bleaching sale price, the yard **16c**

Table Damask

72 in. Mercerized Damask, sale price **75c**
60 in. Mercerized Damask, sale price **50c**

Lace Specials

1 Lot Val and Torchon Lace, sale price, the yard **4c**
1 Lot Val and Torchon Lace, sale price, the yard **8c**

Ready-to-Wear

Special prices on all ready-to-wear during this sale.

Waist Specials

1 Lot White Voile Waists, value \$1.50, sale price **75c**

REMEMBER THE DATES, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 19, 20, 21st.

Come early and get your share of these special bargains.

THE S. M. JONES COMPANY

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Miss Mamie Stone, manager of W. R. and Pinkston Nails' Jewelry store is visiting home, folks this week.

Pittsburgh Perfect Fence, Blue Ribbon Garden wire—2-inch, 1-inch, mesh Chick wire, Murphy Hardware Co.

The News learns that there are a few cases of influenza at Blackport and also at Richburg.

Majestic Ranges in stock, all styles. We save you money, Murphy Hardware Co.

Miss J. Sumter White, who is a nurse in the U. S. army, arrived in Chester yesterday to spend a few days with her father, Mr. A. G. L. White. Miss White has been in France with the American army for the past sixteen months.

Garden Tools, water hose, Garden Sprayers, Garden Pumps, Murphy Hardware Co.

For Transfer Auto—Call John Walker at Phone 15. Prompt and efficient service at all times. Mr. L. E. Brown is visiting relatives in Waxhaw, N. C.

Eat Sale—Some fine gills, already bred. At sacrifice price for quick sale. J. G. L. White, Phone 605, 11 p.m.

Governor Cooper yesterday issued a proclamation designating April 7, 8 and 9th as Jewish war relief days in South Carolina, and calls upon the people of the State to respond to the appeal for the starving peoples in Europe.

Spalding Line—Base Ball, Tennis, Boxing Gloves, Striking Bag, Basket Ball sets, Volley Balls, Murphy Hardware Co.

Two cases of "la grippe" encephalitis, commonly called "sleeping sickness", have been reported to Dr. James A.

Hayne, State health officer. One of the cases is at Johns Bay, Williamsburg county, and the other at Latta, in Dillon county.

Mr. A. W. Goodyear, of the Internal Revenue Department is again in Chester and will be here today and tomorrow in the rooms of the Chester Chamber of Commerce, to assist parties in making their income tax returns. It will be recalled that the time for making returns has been extended.

Tripletsauce Sauce Pan, just the thing for oil and Electric stoves—make fuel. Chester Hardware Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reid and Mrs. J. L. Phillips, of Rock Hill, were Chester visitors Sunday.

Refrigerators of quality are now on display at our store. Start the season right. Chester Hardware Co.

The Summer School at Winthrop College will begin June 17th and end July 25th. The faculty for the summer school has been secured and the bulletin will soon be issued.

For Any Kind of tools see Chester Hardware Company where you will find a complete line made by the best and most reliable manufacturers, "Quality First."

Rhoda Harris, a full-blooded Catawba Indian, died at the Catawba Reservation in York county Sunday afternoon. It is stated that she was 115 years of age.

We are glad to state that the minutes of the District Association are now out and can be secured from Mr. J. T. Collins.

Meers, D. E. Estes, O. A. Lee and Quinton, of the local Woodmen of the World, have gone to Spartanburg to attend the W. O. W. Convention.

Plenty of Garden Tools of all kinds at Chester Hardware Co.

Lancaster and York Counties are unable to get together about the flat at Darlington ferry, a short distance above Catawba Junction. The flat has

been under water for some time. The supervisor of York county says that he can get a ferryman for fifty dollars a month but Lancaster is unwilling to pay its share of this amount.

Miss Lottie Klutz has gone to Pompano, Fla., where she will visit Mrs. Louis Sample.

Spring and Summer millinery now on display, Mrs. Saul Bayer, in the Valley.

Mrs. A. H. Wherry, Jr., left this morning for Atlanta, Ga., where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Amelia Wise.

You Are Invited to call and inspect my line of Spring at 1 Summer Millinery, Mrs. Saul Bayer.

Mrs. W. A. McElroy, is visiting relatives in Bethlehem, Ga.

A reporter for The News during his rounds for the past two days has asked approximately twenty-five citizens as to whether or not they desired a City Recorder for Chester. Not a single man approached on the subject has offered any objection and all are heartily in favor of the movement.

A Nice Line of Spring and Summer millinery now on display. You are invited to call and inspect same, Mrs. Saul Bayer.

Mr. Randolph White left yesterday for New York City where he has accepted a lucrative position.

The committee, composed of several citizens, appointed at the recent mass meeting of citizens to look into and recommend improvements, etc., in the city's affairs, held their second meeting yesterday afternoon and announced that they would present their data and recommendations to the citizens on the afternoon of March 25th. The hour and place of the meeting will be announced later.

New Shoon From old ones. Come in and let us tell you what this means. We do not robble them, we rebuild them. Done on the famous Goddard repair machine. Nice line of lace and

polish. Phone 258, we call for and deliver promptly. Parcel Post paid one way. J. H. Main. M

Alcohol Certificates required by law for the sale of prepared liquors. The News office at \$2.50 per thousand. Prices for larger quantities are less per thousand.

Dr. S. Roy Miller has received his discharge from the army. After spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller, he left yesterday for Sumter where he accepted a position with The Mitchell Drug Company.

Busick Cars in Demand.

That Buick automobiles are in demand was demonstrated thoroughly yesterday when Mr. J. E. Gaudelock, of Great Falls, called Mr. A. H. Wherry at four o'clock A. M., and stated that he wanted to see him right away about a Buick automobile.

The car was sold without any delay for the four o'clock. Seaboard yesterday morning for a Buick automobile and did not lose any time in getting in touch with Mr. Wherry, the Buick dealer. The car was sold without any demonstration, the reputation of the Buick being well known throughout the country. In other words, The Buick's sell itself. Mr. Gaudelock took the car back to Great Falls early yesterday morning.—Adv.

AUGHTRY-WALSH.

Their many friends in South Carolina have been interested in the news of the marriage of Miss Joyce Aughtry, of Columbia, to Theodore Walsh, of Charleston, which took place on the afternoon of Sunday, March 9th.

Miss Aughtry and Mr. Walsh left Columbia Tuesday afternoon for a motor trip, and upon arriving at Lexington proceeded to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Aughtry, of Columbia, and enjoyed a wide popularity. She will be shortly joined by her many friends in Columbia Mr. Walsh, for

merly of Chester, is a hotel man who is widely known to the traveling public, besides a circle of warm personal friends. He was with the Jefferson Hotel in Columbia, for some time, afterward entering the army, where he received a commission. Since receiving his discharge, he has been with the Argyle Hotel in Charleston, and he and his bride will make their home in that city.—Columbia Record, Sunday.

MEET IN CHESTER FRIDAY.

Second Group Meeting of Rock Hill Methodist District Missionary Centenary Council to meet in Chester Friday.

This meeting in the interest of the Missionary Centenary will convene in Bethel Methodist Church Friday morning, March 21, at 10 o'clock and will last only one day. It is strictly a business meeting for the pastors, Church Campaign Directors, and Ministers. Men of the following pastoral charges: Bethel, Bethel Mill, Chester Circuit, Blackstock, Winthrop, Great Falls, Fort Lawn, and Richburg. The out-of-town pastors expected at this meeting are Rev. S. B. White, Rev. J. R. Copeland, Rev. H. B. Hardy, Rev. J. B. Kilgore, Rev. W. A. Duckworth, Rev. E. Z. James, and Rev. J. R. T. Major. A representative layman also is expected from each one of the churches.

The object of the meeting is the instruction and preparation of the pastors by individual efforts. Missionary Deeds which is scheduled for May 18.

Rev. J. C. Roper, Conference Centenary Secretary, Rev. J. R. T. Major, presiding Elder, and Mr. J. E. Johnson, District Campaign Manager will be the chief speakers.

MARINE WORKERS LEADER

"STAMPEDES" CONFERENCE

Efforts of Private Boat Owners to Seize With Men Individually Ar Blacked.

New York, March 18.—Efforts of

Our Boys

OF

113th Field Artillery

will land at Newport News today

Our White Mountain Refrigerators have arrived and are now on display at our store. Start the season right by coming in and selecting yours now.

CHESTER HARDWARE CO.

"Quality First"

private boat owners to break the harbor strike here by individual efforts. The owners their methods were "unfair" and warned them that if any further attempts were made toward individual settlements the 45,000 members of the International Longshoremen's union would be called out on sympathetic strike.

Strike leaders said they had received word from Port Borjess, confederate for the owners, that the owners were willing to meet a committee of Institute workers tomorrow.

The meeting place, they found, was the 10th and 11th leaders in the midst of men who had accepted the invitation.

"The Stampedes" continued until

PULL FOR CHESTER

\$50—CONTEST—\$50

In the past we have designated our various models by numbers. For instance our five-passenger Touring Car, 1919 Model, is known as model 400-C, seven-passenger Touring Car Model 400-A, etc.

We find that the general public get more or less confused over numbers and letters, and it is our desire to designate all models by appropriate names in the future.

We are now manufacturing five models as follows. Five-passenger touring car, seven-passenger touring car, four-passenger Sport touring car, convertible Roadster for two or five passengers, and a five-passenger convertible Sedan.

We will give a prize of \$10.00 for the best name given for each of the above models. This contest is Free for all and it is possible for any person to win all five of the prizes or \$50.00.

The contest closes at noon March 31st and the checks will be mailed out to the winners April 3rd.

Address your letter to the "Sales Department, Anderson Motor Company, Rock Hill, S. C." Write the names on a plain piece of white paper, as follows:

\$50	Seven-Passenger Touring Car	Name Here	\$50
	Five-Passenger Touring Car	Name Here	
	Four-Passenger Sport Touring Car	Name Here	
	Convertible Roadster	Name Here	
	Five-Passenger Sedan	Name Here	
Your name here		Your address here.	

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ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA

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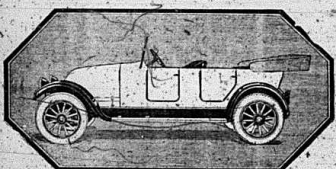
Bring that Tire

with the blow-out or rim-cut to us to be Vulcanized. You will be surprised at how many more miles we can build into it for ONLY a few dollars.

WHERRY'S GARAGE

Ask for Mr. Young the Tire Man

THE FRANKLIN CAR



20 to 25 miles to the gallon of gasoline instead of the usual 10. 10,000 to 15,000 miles to the set of tires--instead of the usual 5,000.

FOR EASY RIDING

Let us drive you over any road you choose, and if you have ever gone over it in another car you will be quick to notice the difference.

S. D. CROSS, Dealer.

Chester, SOUTH CAROLINA

DR. KOSER

EYE, EAR,

NOSE AND THROAT.

GLASSES FITTED.

Commercial Bank Building.

Notice of Drawing Petit Jury.

In compliance with an act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved the 7th day of February, A. D. 1902, we, the Jury Commissioners of Chester county, in the said State, do hereby give notice that on Thursday, March 29th, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. in the office of the Clerk of Court Common Pleas and General Sessions at Chester, S. C., we will draw the following jurors, to wit:—

Thirty-six (36) petit jurors to serve during the third week of the Spring Term of Circuit Court.

L. C. FUDGE, Auditor.

S. E. WYLLIE, Treasurer.

J. E. CORNWELL, C. C. of Pleas.

Jury Commissioners.

Chester, S. C., Feb. 27, 1919. T-3

THAT \$60 BONUS.

Information as to the \$60 bonus to be allowed to discharged soldiers, has already been published; but the following is reproduced for the benefit of those who may still be needing light on the subject:

"All persons separated from active military service after April 6, 1917, who are entitled to \$60 bonus and who have received final pay will forward-bonus claim direct to the pension officer, Lemon Building, Washington, D. C.

"Such applications must contain:—
"1. Discharge certificate or order for discharge or release, if no discharge certificate was issued but both certificate and order if both were issued. The paper bearing endorsement of final payment being required.

"2. Statement of all military service since April 6, 1917, showing place and date of reporting for service.

"3. Address to which check is to be sent.

"All papers will be returned to applicant when check is mailed. No further correspondence is necessary excepting to advise any change of address of application.

"The zone flag officer, Washington, D. C., is the only disbursing officer authorized to pay such claims."

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THE NEW PENSION ACT.

The following communication appeared in a recent issue of the Dillion Herald, and being of State wide application, we are reproducing same for the benefit of our readers:

Editor Herald:—A number of those interested in Dillion county, have written me in reference to the new pension law. An act was passed at the recent session of the Legislature creating a Pension Department of the State Government, to which is intrusted the management of all Confederate pension matters heretofore conducted through the office of the Comptroller-General. A board of seven, one from each Congressional District, was named in the act and \$40,000.00 was appropriated for the benefit of all Confederate veterans and the widows of deceased veterans irrespective of any property qualifications. It is provided in the act that the Comptroller General shall pay off the pensions of this year as usual and as soon as this is done he is to turn over to the new pension department all funds remaining of the \$40,000,000 appropriation and the books and records of the pension department as heretofore conducted in the office of the Comptroller General. The new board met in the legislative library at the statehouse last Thursday the 6th inst, with five members of the board present. Capt. D. W. McLaughlin was elected commissioner. His duties are prescribed in the act and he is to receive a salary of \$2000. As enrollment of the remaining funds after the present pensioners are paid, will be made to the newly enrolled veterans and the widows of deceased soldiers according to the following classification: Those who are blind, the paralyzed, those who have lost a limb and those who on account of the infirmities of age or other causes are unable to make a living will be put in Class A—all others in Class B. After this year the present pension will be surveyed and classified as above. The law provides that the widow of a deceased veteran if 60 years of age shall receive a same pension as the husband would be entitled to make the above classification. Comptroller Boards consisting of three veterans will be appointed to determine the equity by the Commissioner and his subordinates.

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The Violet Sunshine Club will meet with Mrs. A. M. Altan, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.